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Mittaw, May 3. N. S.

OUR Advices from *Livonia* say, 15000 *Swedes* are coming from *Fintand* to relieve *Riga*; The *Saxons* frequently send out Parties to get Intelligence of them, and give out, That their Number is not above 8000; That they have suffered very much in so long a March; And that they are still a great way off. The *Saxons* have not of late made any attempt against the Town, expecting Reinforcements from *Poland* and *Saxony*. The Garrison on the other hand are in expectation of being timely assisted by the before-mentioned Troops from *Finland*, and others that are coming from *Sweden*; They have lately sent out Boats Manned with Soldiers, to attempt the burning of the Bridge of Boats which the *Saxons* have made upon the *Dwina*, but have not yet been able to effect it, but they have taken several Boats laden with 400 Lasts of Corn, which the *Saxons* were sending to the *Dunamunder* Fort; The *Saxons* are likewise fitting out several Boats, and will put Soldiers in them, to give Chase to the small Vessels of *Riga*.

Stockholme, May 4. The King of *Sueden* and the Duke of *Holstein* are still at *Carelscroone*, to hasten the fitting out of the Fleet, which will be ready to sail in few days. The Regiments of Horse and Foot Guards, (the latter consisting in 2000 Effective Men) which were quartered in this Place, are marched to *Carelscroone*, and 'tis thought will be sent by Sea to *Livonia*. A great number of Seamen are sent from hence to serve in the Fleet.

Vienna, May 5. The Departure of the Imperial Court to *Luxembourg*, is again put off till the 10th Instant. The Count *de Wells*, Envoy Extraordinary from the Emperor to the King of *Sweden*, parted from hence yesterday for *Stockholm*, and the Count *de Straatman* will be going in a day or two in the like Quality to *Poland*; They have Orders to use their best Endeavours to accommodate Matters between these two Crowns, in which 'tis hoped they will have the better Success, because, according to our Advices from *Warsaw*, the Cardinal Primate, and the greatest part of the Senators, have no Inclination to join with the King of *Poland* in the War against *Sweden*. Orders are given for Recruiting all the Emperor's Forces, and for Remounting his Cavalry. The Imperial Regiments which are sent to the Borders of *Bohemia*, to observe the King of *Poland*'s Troops in *Saxony*, are ordered to draw together, and it's said, that Prince *Eugene* of *Savoy* will Command them. The *Turkish* Ambassador continues his Conferences with the Emperor's Ministers; He has proposed, That the Matters in Dispute between the *Germans* and the *Turks*, concerning the Town of *Novi* and its Dependencies, may be laid aside till all the other Limits are settled, and that they should be then examined anew by the Commissioners; but the Emperor's Ministers are desirous this Matter may be adjusted here in the first place. The Counts of *Geigersberg* and *Goldstein* were sworn this week of the Emperor's Council. Orders are given for repairing the Fortifications of *Brisac*, and a Regiment of Horse is ordered to march thither to reinforce the Garrison.

From the Danish *Camp before* Tonningen, *May 11.* We continue to keep the Town of *Tonningen* very closely blocked up, and in all probability shall lay a formal Siege to it as soon as we have received the Supplies of Cannon and Artillery we expect from *Gelucksstad*. Yesterday about 6 in the morning, the Duke of *Wirtemberg* sent from our Camp a Detachment of five Companies of Granadiers, and several other Companies of Foot, making in all about 1000 Men, to attack an Outwork which the *Holsteiners* had cast up before the Western Gate of the Town. They marched thither accordingly along the Banks of the River *Eyder*, and in a short time forced the Enemy from their Retrenchment, who retired into the Town; And our Men immediately demolished this Work, and returned to the Camp, having in this Action only two Men killed, and an Officer and eight Soldiers wounded. General *Bannier* sent a Message lately to the Duke of *Wirtemberg*, desiring Liberty for the Boats belonging to the Town to go and fetch Beer at *Fredericksstad*, but it was refused.

Francfort, May 12. The Queen of *Poland* went from hence yesterday by water to *Embs*, being accompanied by the Dutchess of *Wolfembuttel*, the Prince of *Ottingen*, and several other Persons of Quality. As the Queen passed by the City of *Mentz*, she was saluted by a Discharge of the Cannon of that Place, and Complimented by the Chapter, who designed her a very noble Entertainment, but she excused it. The Prince of *East-Friseland* is daily expected here, and will spend part of the Summer at *Swalbach*. The Elector Palatine's Forces quartered in the Palatinate are assembling about *Manheim*, to work on the Fortifications of that Place, which they intend to finish this Summer; His Electoral Highness is shortly expected here in his way to *Vienna*.

Cologne, May 11. The Elector of *Cologne* is still at *Breul*. 'Tis said, he has given Orders for buying up Horses to recruit his Cavalry, and that he intends to raise some new Regiments of Foot. The Bishop of *Munster* has begun his new Levies, and has given Orders for filling his Magazines with Ammunition. The Prince of *Lorrain*, Bishop of *Osnabrug*, is daily expected here from *Dusseldorp*. The Baron *Saffigh*, Great Marshal to the Elector of *Tricrs*, who has been some time at the *Hague*, came lately to *Dusseldorp*, where he had several Conferences with the Elector Palatine; from thence he passed through *Breul*, where he conferred with the Elector of *Cologne*, and he is since returned home.

Hamburgh, May 14. There has passed nothing considerable at *Tonningen* for these last 3 or 4 days, except the taking of one of the Outworks of that Place by the *Danes*, who expect the Artillery and Ammunition which the Duke of *Wirtemberg* has sent for from *Gelucksstad*, before they attempt any thing farther. Our Letters from thence say, General

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